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## IMPORTANT DECISION.

Girl Declared an Alien Because She Is Unmarried.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—A decision has been handed down in the United States circuit court by Judge Lacombe in which he holds that a citizen of Porto Rico is not a citizen of the United States and as such entitled to land here without interference from the immigration laws, but is, the insular decisions notwithstanding, an alien within the meaning of the law.

The matter came before Judge Lacombe on the application for a writ of habeas corpus sworn out on behalf of Isabella Gonzales, a native Porto Rican woman, who arrived in New York August 24 last. She was detained by the immigration authorities on the ground that, being an unmarried woman, her condition was such that she was an undesirable alien. She was ordered deported, but a well-to-do aunt and uncle living on Staten Island secured attorneys to get her released through habeas corpus.

"The only question for discussion," reads the opinion, "is whether the petitioner is an alien. The fourteenth amendment of the constitution of the United States provides that all persons born or naturalized in the United States and subject to the jurisdiction thereof are citizens of the United States. The petitioner was by birth an alien, and unless she has since in some appropriate way been naturalized, she is still an alien. There is no suggestion that she was ever naturalized under the general laws, regulating the admission of alien citizens. The treaty of Paris, unlike earlier treaties which dealt with Louisiana, Florida, California and Alaska, did not undertake to make native born citizens of Porto Rico citizens of the United States. It expressly provides that the civil rights and political status of the native inhabitants of the territory coming to the United States should be determined by congress."

## MISSIONARIES AVENGED.

Eight Men Executed in Hunan Province, China.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 8.—The steamer *Ioy Maru* reached port today from Yokohama and the Orient. She brought news that the Chinese commission sent to investigate the murder of the missionaries at Chenchow, Hunan, has returned to Changsha. The remains of the murdered missionaries were interred with great ceremony, the church was repaired, eight ringleaders of the disturbances were put to death and five officials were dismissed.

The governor-general of Hunan has ordered the Taotai of Chenchow, where the tragedy occurred, to go to Hankow and consult with the British consul, but the missionaries are satisfied with the measures taken by the governor-general and the Taotai, and have addressed a memorial to the British consul, recommending him to deal leniently with the matter.

## BOLIVIAN INVADE BRAZIL.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Dispatches from Para say that Bolivian troops have occupied Brazilian territory and have attacked several villages, cables the Rio Janeiro correspondent of the Herald. Brazilian merchants have been arrested on the charge of having been concerned in the Acre uprising.

The Jornal do Brazil has received a letter from Luis Galvez, former president of the so-called Acre Republic, saying that the governor of Manos has arrested him and also an Argentine citizen named Ireneo Becchini. Both men are now in prisons at Fort San Joaquin.

Galvez complains of having been harshly treated. He declares that he went to recover a debt.

## POOR SEAL CATCH.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 8.—Somewhat discouraging news has been received from Behring sea through the return of the first of the sealing fleet, the Os-

car and Hattie, which took 280 skins in the sea, totalling 1085 for the season of nine months off the coast of Cooper island and that in the Behring sea. Behring sea, the crew report, was very tempestuous almost from the beginning of the season until the schooner headed for home on the 20th of last month. For 16 days a continued gale blew, and during this time it was impossible to lower a boat. In the last 15 days spent in the sea the boats were lowered but four times.

Only three of the sealing fleet were sighted, the Victoria on the 29th of August, with a catch of 139 skins; the Zillah May on the day previous with only 46 skins, and the Favorite on the 17th of September with 108 skins.

## NO CHILE BRAZIL TREATY.

NEW YORK, Oct. 8.—Senator Carvalho the Brazilian delegate who was sent by his government to study the feasibility of a commercial treaty with Chile, is quoted as saying that he considers his mission has failed, cables the Valparaiso, Chile, correspondent of the Herald.

The reasons for the failure are that Brazilian products can be obtained from Peru, Bolivia and Argentina at lower prices and, on the other hand, Chile has no goods which could compete with those of the United States in Brazilian markets, owing to the cost of transportation. Senator Carvalho has therefore decided that there is no solid basis for a commercial treaty.

## GUNBOAT SHORT OF MEN.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Just before the sailing from this port for the South of the new Colombian gunboat Bogota, John Carrick, chief engineer, with his assistants, H. Lind and W. S. Hinton, announced their dissatisfaction and resigned. Executive Officer Dutton secured Ed Cramp to take the position of Chief Engineer in Carrick's stead, before the gunboat put to sea.

## CONFERENCE IS FRUITLESS.

PHILADELPHIA, Oct. 8.—The visit to this city of the committee representing the National Association of Manufacturers, for the purpose of conferring with the president of the anthracite coal carrying roads who last week met President Roosevelt and the officials of the miners' union at Washington, appears to have been fruitless.

## SOLD FOR WAGES.

VICTORIA, B. C., Oct. 8.—The brigantine Blakeley, which went to Cocos island to hunt for treasure, has been ordered sold by the admiralty on October 17 to satisfy claims made against her for wages by her crew.

## CONTRACTS AWARDED.

SAN FRANCISCO, Oct. 8.—Contracts for repairs to the United States Army transport Dix, amounting to over \$25,000 have been awarded and will be completed in a short time.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

SAMUEL DERR,

of Montavilla, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5812, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 of section No. 27 in township No. 4 N. range No. 10 W. and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Wednesday, the 10th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: B. J. Sanford, James Bloom, Albert Luikart, and George Clark, all of Montavilla, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 10th day of December, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-10-10-5

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KATE A. CLARK, of Seaside, County of Clatsop, State of Oregon, has this day filed her sworn statement No. 5837, for the purchase of the E 1/2 of NE quarter, NW quarter of northeast quarter, and northeast quarter of northwest quarter of section No. 3 in township No. 5 north, range No. 7 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 17th day of October, 1902.

She names as witnesses: Olaf Boren, of Astoria, Oregon; R. M. Guston, of Astoria, Oregon; Timothy Corcoran, of Jewell, Oregon; D. M. Stuart, of Astoria, Oregon.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 17th day of October, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-10-10-10.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

WILLIAM T. BUNNELL, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5848, for the purchase of the west half of the northwest quarter of section 22, and the east half of the northwest quarter of section No. 31, in township No. 6 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 24 day of November, 1902.

He names as witnesses: William Kriesel, of Portland, Ore.; Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Ore.; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.; B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 24 day of November, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-15-10-17

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, September 22, 1902.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

JOHAN SANDSTROM, of Clatskanie, County of Columbia, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5908 for the purchase of the NW 1/4 of section No. 34 in township No. 7 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Friday, the 15th day of December, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Thomas B. Bidwell, Charles Iversen, Frank Bidwell, Charles Hall, all of Astoria, Ore. Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims with the register and receiver of this office on or before said 15th day of December, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-24-11-28.

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, at Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 4, 1902.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of an act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

JAMES B. SHORT, of Mullen, County of Shoshone, State of Idaho, has this day filed his sworn statement No. 5839, for the purchase of the SW 1/4 quarter of section No. 28, in township No. 6 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 27th day of October, 1902.

He names as witnesses: B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Oregon; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Oregon; John A. McDonnell, of Mullen, Idaho; Millard Armstrong, of Mullen, Idaho.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above-described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 27th day of October, 1902.

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MILLARD ARMSTRONG, of Mullen, County of Shoshone, State of Idaho, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5842, for the purchase of the west half of the southeast quarter, and lots 1 and 2, of section No. 1, in township No. 5 north, range No. 10 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 31 day of November, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Ore.; William Kriesel, of Portland, Ore.; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.; B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 31 day of November, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-15-10-17

## ADMINISTRATRIX NOTICE

Notice is hereby given that the undersigned has been appointed administratrix of the estate of Cynthia M. Bayles, deceased, by the County Court of the State of Oregon for Clatsop County. All persons having claims against said estate are hereby required to present the same to the undersigned at her residence in the City of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon, duly verified as by law required, within six months from this date.

MAUD E. BAYLES,  
Administratrix of the estate of Cynthia Bayles, deceased.

Dated this 23d day of September, 1902.  
9-23-10-31.

## SHERIFF'S SALE.

By virtue of an execution and order of sale issued out of the Circuit Court of the state of Oregon for the County of Clatsop, on the 27th day of September, 1902, upon a judgment rendered therein on the 15th day of September, 1902, in favor of William C. Hildebrandt and Max Powner, partners doing business under the firm name of Hildebrandt, Powner & Company, plaintiffs, and against Leander Anderson, defendant, for the sum of \$200, and the costs and disbursements of this suit, taxed at \$11, and the costs of and upon this writ commanding and requiring me to make sale of the following described real and personal property, to-wit:

One barrel of Blue Grass Bourbon whiskey and lot 4, in block 27, in the Town of Alderbrook, as laid out and recorded by J. K. Kelly and in the City of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon.

Notice is hereby given that I will on Monday, the 10th day of November, 1902, at the hour of 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, in front of and at the Court House door, in the City of Astoria, Clatsop County, Oregon, sell at public auction to the highest bidder for cash the above-described real and personal property to satisfy the judgment, interest, costs and all accruing costs.

THOMAS J. LYNCH,  
Sheriff of Clatsop County, Ore.

Astoria, Ore., October 2, 1902.  
10-12-10-17

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 25, 1902.  
Notice is hereby given that in compliance with the provisions of the act of Congress of June 3, 1878, entitled "An act for the sale of timber lands in the states of California, Oregon, Nevada and Washington Territory," as extended to all the public land states by act of August 4, 1892,

JOHN P. JOHN, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office his sworn statement No. 5872, for the purchase of the east half of the northwest quarter of section No. 9, in township No. 4 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish his claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on the 7th day of November, 1902.

He names as witnesses: Thomas B. Bidwell, Charles Iversen, Frank Bidwell, Theodore Stockman, all of Astoria, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 7th day of November, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-2-11-4

## NOTICE FOR PUBLICATION.

United States Land Office, Oregon City, Oregon, Aug. 5, 1902.  
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MRS. ORILLA A. TAYLOR, of Portland, County of Multnomah, State of Oregon, has this day filed in this office her sworn statement No. 5849, for the purchase of the east half of the southeast quarter, southwest quarter of the southeast quarter, of section 24, township 6 north, range 9 west, and lot 2, of section No. 5, in township No. 5 north, range No. 9 west, and will offer proof to show that the land sought is more valuable for its timber or stone than for agricultural purposes, and to establish her claim to said land before the register and receiver of this office at Oregon City, Oregon, on Monday, the 3d day of November, 1902.

She names as witnesses: William Kriesel, of Portland, Ore.; Byron J. Sanford, of Montavilla, Ore.; James T. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.; B. J. Burke, of Seaside, Ore.

Any and all persons claiming adversely the above described lands are requested to file their claims in this office on or before said 3d day of November, 1902.

CHAS. B. MOORES, Register.

9-15-10-17